

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

WEX BANK, FLEETONE FACTORING, LLC, et al.	)	Case No. 17-cv-3392
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Plaintiffs,	)	Honorable John J. Tharp, Jr.
v.	)	Room 1419
	)	
RIVOJ TRANS., INC., et al.	)	Magistrate Judge Susan E. Cox
	)	Room 1025
Defendants.	)	

**FRANK LARA'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL OF RECORD**

NOW COMES Movant, Frank Lara (“Lara”), and moves to withdraw as counsel of record for Ilija Ristik a/k/a Iko Ristik in the above-captioned matter. In support of *Frank Lara's Motion for Leave to Withdraw as Counsel of Record*, Lara states as follows:

1. On May 4, 2017, Plaintiffs filed their Complaint to initiate the instant case (Dkt. No. 1).
2. On April 16, 2019, Frank Lara filed his Appearance on behalf of Ilija Ristik a/k/a Iko Ristik (“Ristik”) (Dkt. No. 130)
3. On April 15, 2020, Frank Lara left the employ of Weissberg and Associates, Ltd. and as such, no longer represents Ristik. Ariel Weissberg and the law firm of Weissberg and Associates, Ltd. will continue to represent Ristik in this case.
4. This withdrawal will neither delay these proceedings nor be inequitable to any party.

WHEREFORE, Frank Lara respectfully requests the Court to grant his Motion to Withdraw as counsel for Defendant, Ilija Ristik a/k/a Iko Ristik; and for such other relief as this court deems just and proper.

**FRANK LARA, Movant**

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Frank Lara, certify that on May 12, 2020, I caused to be filed **FRANK LARA'S MOTION FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL OF RECORD**. Notice of this filing was sent by the court's ECF electronic transmission to the following parties, and to any other persons-in-interest registered with the Court's electronic transmission system:

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